



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KAWAHARA, Yasuyuki et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1625

Serial No.: **10/019,287**

Examiner: **Taylor V. Oh**

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For. **DICARBOXYLIC DIESTER, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND
REFRIGERATING MACHINE LUBRICATING OIL COMPRISING THE ESTER**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: June 21, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 21, 2004 for two months, from May 21, 2004 to June 21, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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